



Curious, Creative, Confident Foundation



Learning

We are so excited to get stuck into our new topic about a famous author **Julia Donaldson**. We will be immersing ourselves into many of Julia Donaldson's books and offering lots of provisions which link to specific books we read. During this term, we are going to be linking some of these books to support us with encouraging children to have the confidence to talk about members of their community, describe familiar people, discuss the lives of people around them and their roles in society. The children will meet important members of society such as nurses, police officers and firefighters.

Spring Term: Julia Donaldson

The School Day

- 08:40 Arrive at School (gates close at 08:50)
- 11:50 – 12:50 Lunch Time
- 15:10 End of School Day

PE Day

Tuesday

Children need to wear PE kit to school on Tuesday's.

This can be black shorts and a white PE top with or without the Montpelier logo. During the Winter months, children can wear a black tracksuit. Trainers can be worn on a PE day.

Home Learning

- **Reading:** Please read with your child at home. We recommend your child reads for at least 15 minutes x3 a week. This should be a mixture of your child reading to you as well as you reading to them. You should be accessing the Collins ebooks which are individually assigned to your child each week. Please speak to your child's class teacher if you have any issues with being able to log on. Thank you for your support with this, it makes a huge difference to your child's learning and progress. ☺

Questions & Queries

If you have any questions or queries, you can speak to a member of the Foundation team, on the door, at the beginning or end of the school day. Alternatively, you can contact your child's teacher using the class email address. We will get back to you as soon as we can. Thank you!

In regards to attendance, absence, change to end of day pick-ups etc. please contact the school office on 216160 or by email admin@mpsplymouth.net

When it is your child's birthday, they are allowed to wear mufti clothes into school if they wish. If your child's birthday falls on a weekend or school holiday, they can wear their mufti clothes on the first day back to school.